

Docket No. 242936US2

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hidejirou MAEHARA

SERIAL NO: 10/666,253

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FOR: IMAGE REPRODUCING APPARATUS WITH PROBLEM MONITORING/REPORTING ABILITY AND METHOD FOR MONITORING AND REPORTING PROBLEMS OCCURRING IN CONNECTION WITH IMAGE FORMING AND REPRODUCING PROCESS



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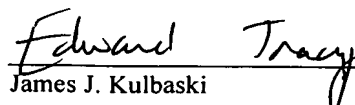
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- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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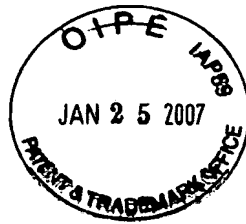
  
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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 25, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.